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(37 C.F.R. § 1.313(c))

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Sir:

Petition

Applicant hereby petitions for the withdrawal of this application from issue.

Patent Issue Fee

The issue fee for this case was paid on February 21, 2003. This patent was scheduled to issue on April 22, 2003 as U.S. Patent No. 6,552,557.

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Reasons for Withdrawal Request

The reason for the request for withdrawal from issue is that one or more of the claims are unapentable. The allowed claims are unpatentable over prior U.S. Patent Nos. 6,342,789, issued January 29, 2002, U.S. Patent No. 5,905,382, issued May 18, 1999 and U.S. Patent No. 5,539,324, issued July 23, 1996. United States Patents 5,539,324; 5,663,654; 5,726,580; 5,859,539; 5,905,382; 6,087,845; 6,091,254; 6,342,789 and 6,535,012 are prior art to the above-identified application and, accordingly, resulting in the unpatentability of the allowed claims in the above-identified application over such prior art for a lack of co-pendency between the above-identified application and its parent preventing such patents from being prior to the present above-identified application.

Petition Fees

The fee set forth in § 1.17(h), required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.313(a), is paid as follows:

Attached is a check in the amount of \$130.00.

Applicants understand that no additional fees are required. However, if the Office determines that any fees are required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any such fees to TraskBritt Deposit Account No. 20-1469, referencing attorney docket no. 2269-2825.10US.

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